

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Violet Varona-Lukens, Executive Officer Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration Los Angeles, California 90012

At its meeting held January 13, 2004, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

"On October 28, 2003, the Board of Supervisors approved a reward offer of \$50,000 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for wildfires from San Bernardino and Ventura Counties which made their way to areas in Los Angeles County. The reward offer expires on January 26, 2004."

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Yaroslavsky, unanimously carried (Supervisor Molina being absent), the Board approved the extension of the \$50,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the wildfires which commenced on October 25, 2003 in San Bernardino and Ventura Counties which have made their way into the Claremont and Chatsworth areas of Los Angeles County.

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NOTICE OF \$50,000 REWARD OFFERED BY THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles has extended the \$50,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the wildfires which commenced on October 25, 2003 in San Bernardino and Ventura Counties which have made their way into the Claremont and Chatsworth areas of Los Angeles County.

Any person having any information related to this crime is requested to call the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department at (866) 346-7632 and refer to Report No. 60-03-00296 or Lieutenant Peggy O'Neil at the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department at (562) 946-7222 and refer to Report No. 403-15550-0675-278.

The terms of the reward provide that:

- The information given that leads to the determination of the identity, the apprehension and conviction of any person or persons must be given no later than April 25, 2004. All reward claims must be in writing and shall be received no later than June 25, 2004.
- -- The total County payment of any and all rewards shall in no event exceed \$50,000 and no claim shall be paid prior to conviction unless the Board of Supervisors makes a finding of impossibility of conviction due to the death or incapacity of the person or persons responsible for the crime or crimes.
- The County reward may be apportioned between various persons and/or paid for the conviction of various persons as the circumstances fairly dictate.

Any claims for the reward funds should be filed no later than June 25, 2004 with the Executive Officer of the Board of Supervisors, 500 West Temple Street, Room 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration, Los Angeles, California 90012, Attention: Wildfires Reward Fund. For further information, please call (213) 974-1747.

Si no entiende esta noticia o si necesita mas informacion, favor de llamar a este numero (213) 974-1747.

VIOLET VARONA-LUKENS EXECUTIVE OFFICER BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES